SIGURD ANDERSON
GOVERNOR

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P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the future progress and prosperity of South Dakota is dependent to a great degree upon the skills and efforts of those citizens who operate the many farms of the State; and

WHEREAS, the Future Farmers of America organization is composed of boys who are studying vocational agriculture in public secondary schools as preparation for careers in farming; and

WHEREAS, the major purposes of the Future Farmers of America organization are to develop leadership, encourage cooperation, promote good citizenship, teach sound methods of farming and inspire patriotism among the members; and

WHEREAS, South Dakota now has seventy-one active chapters of the organization, with more than 2,700 presently active members; and

WHEREAS, the members of the Future Farmers of America perform valuable community services and provide important leadership in developing our agricultural economy and in building a better State:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Sigurd Anderson, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the week beginning February 20, 1954, as

SOUTH DAKOTA FUTURE FARMER WEEK

and urge all citizens to take notice of the many contributions of the Future Farmers of our State and to encourage in every possible way the further growth of this splendid organization for our farm youth.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota to be affixed this 16th day of February, 1954.

Sigurd Anderson
Governor

ATTEST:

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Secretary of State

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